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GREAT PRIZE COMPETITION

THE MIGHTIEST WARRIOR!

ATTACK OF THE DRAGONS!

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IS THIS HE-MAN'S LAST APPEARANCE?

MASTERS OF THE UNIVERSE™

Welcome, Young Warriors!

It looks like this could be the last appearance of He-Man, unless he can stop what is happening to him on our cover! You can find out what really happens in our first story in this issue.

I received a letter from He-Man fan **David Gibbs** (no address given) who has suggested a number of famous people who might look good in a He-Man film. Dave felt that **Christopher Reeves** would make a good Sy-Clone and that **Harrison Ford** would look great as Mekaneck. For the role of Man-At-Arms he suggested **Michael Jackson** (!).

There really is a live-action M.O.T.U. movie being made and I'll tell you more about it in a future issue of this comic. If **you** were in charge of casting actors and actresses for a He-Man movie who would you choose?

Scrollos

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STRANGE UNIVERSE

HOW STARS DIE!

Stars can 'die' in one of two ways and their fate depends on what size the star is. Small stars get smaller and smaller and become so cool that they simply stop burning. Large stars, however, lose control of their nuclear reactions and blow themselves apart in massive explosions called ***supernovas****!*

OUR TEEN-AGED SUN!

Our Sun, known to scientists as Sol, is thought to be from five to six billion years old! But don't worry about it burning itself out, experts believe that it has another ten billion years to go before that happens!

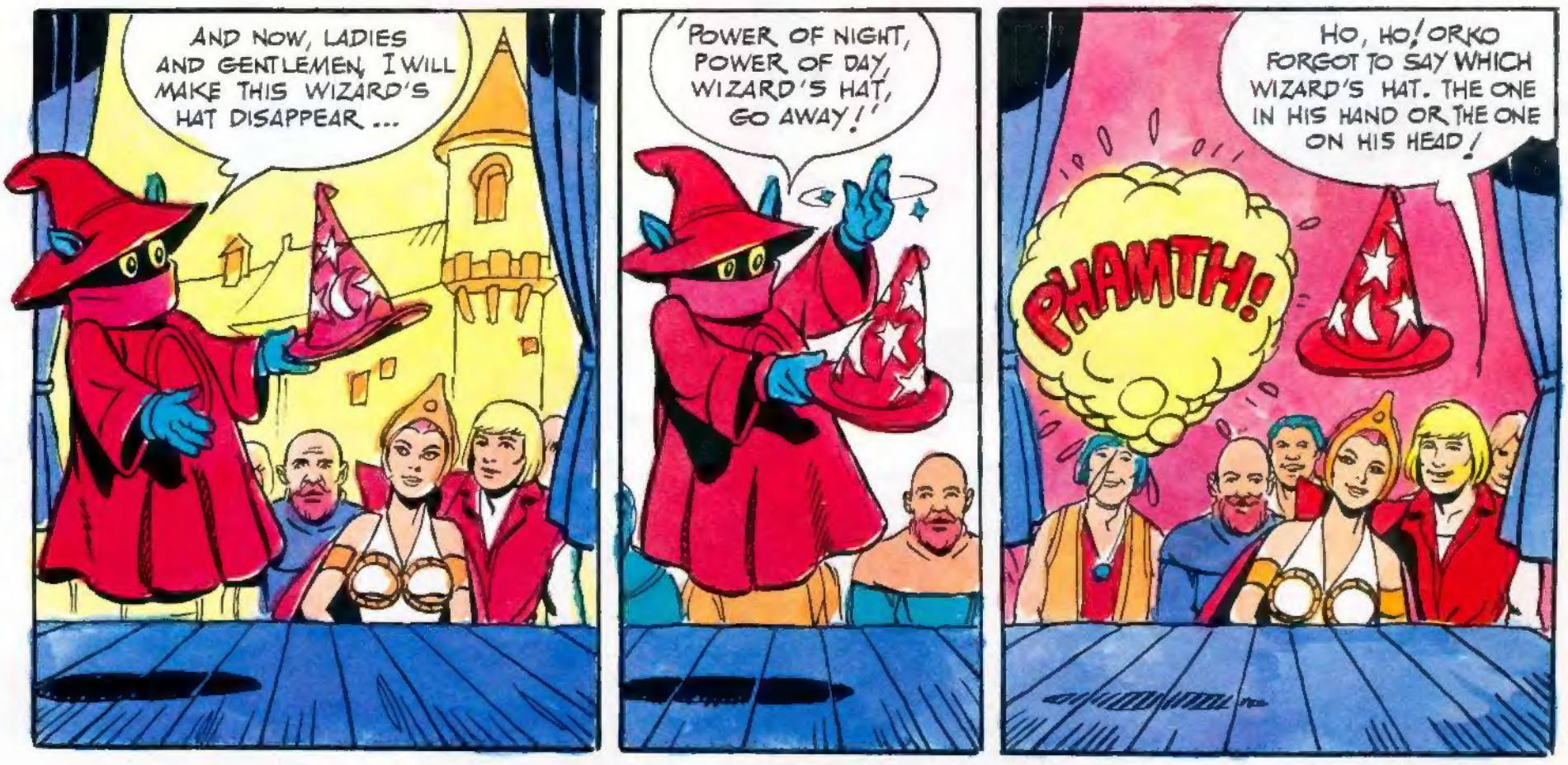
THE HEAVIEST MATTER IN THE UNIVERSE!

A neutron star is a star in which all the atoms have been crushed tightly together to make it very dense. It becomes so heavy that a piece of this matter the size of your finger nail would weigh nearly a billion kilos!

THE EARTH IS DIFFERENT!

There are nine planets in our Solar System out of which the Earth is the odd one out! Why? Because Venus, Mercury, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune and Pluto are all named after ancient gods. Only the Earth has an 'ungodly' name!

ORKO THE MAGICIAN


AND NOW, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, I WILL MAKE THIS WIZARD'S HAT DISAPPEAR ...
"POWER OF NIGHT, POWER OF DAY, WIZARD'S HAT, GO AWAY!"
HO, HO! ORKO FORGOT TO SAY WHICH WIZARD'S HAT. THE ONE IN HIS HAND OR THE ONE ON HIS HEAD!
PHAMTH!

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THE MIGHTIEST WARRIOR

THE ANNUAL GAMES OF ETERNIA ARE AN IMPORTANT OCCASION FOR EVERY WARRIOR. THIS TIME, HE-MAN AND MAN-AT-ARMS BOTH HOPE TO CARRY AWAY THE FIRST PRIZE...

MERELY SAY THE WORD, OLD FRIEND AND I WILL RELEASE YOU!

I... I WILL NOT SURRENDER.

THEY HAVE EACH WON THREE EVENTS. THIS WRESTLING MATCH WILL DECIDE THE WINNER.

THEN...

STOP! I HAVE SEEN ENOUGH. AS THE OFFICIAL JUDGE I DECLARE HE-MAN TO BE THE WINNER.

IT IS DECIDED. HE-MAN IS VICTORIOUS ONCE AGAIN.

AS THE CROWD SIGNAL THEIR ACCEPTANCE OF THE DECISION...

YOU FOUGHT WELL, MY NOBLE COMRADE. I AM A LUCKY WINNER.

NONSENSE. YOU ARE, AS ALWAYS, A WORTHY WINNER.

YOU ARE BOTH MIGHTY WARRIORS BUT THERE HAD TO BE A VICTOR...

... AND SECRETLY I AM PLEASED THAT IT WAS HE-MAN.

AT THAT VERY MOMENT, IN A STRANGE SHIP THAT HOVERS FAR ABOVE ETERNIA, THERE IS ANOTHER CREATURE WHO HAS TAKEN PLEASURE IN THE GAMES...

HA! THEN IT IS DECIDED. THIS HE-MAN IS THE MIGHTIEST WARRIOR ON ETERNIA. I KNOW WHAT I MUST DO!

WITHIN A FEW MOMENTS ORDERS ARE GIVEN AND HE-MAN'S FATE IS SEALED...

OPERATE THE MATTER DISTORTION DEVICE. I MUST MEET THIS MIGHTY HERO.

MASTER COMMAND. OPERATE. OPERATE. FOLLOW ORDER.

MEANWHILE, AS HE-MAN WALKS AWAY FROM THE GAMES...

I AM PLEASED THAT I MANAGED TO PUT ASIDE MY STUDIES LONG ENOUGH TO ENJOY THE GAMES.

YOU WERE VERY WISE. SURELY THESE WERE THE BEST GAMES WE HAVE EVER SEEN?

I AGREE, BUT THEY HAVE LEFT ME TIRED. IF YOU WILL EXCUSE ME I WILL GO AND REST AWHILE.

BUT...

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

HE-MAN! YOU ARE VANISHING BEFORE OUR EYES. WAIT...

WHAT EVIL TRICKERY IS THIS?

HE IS GONE. THERE MUST BE AN EXPLANATION. ORKO, WHAT CAN HAVE HAPPENED?

IT IS BEYOND MY POWERS TO EVEN GUESS AT WHAT HAS CAUSED THIS. WHAT CAN WE DO?

WHERE IS HE-MAN? I WISH TO CONGRATULATE HIM ON HIS VICTORY.

STEADY YOURSELF FOR THE NEWS. HE-MAN, THE GREATEST HERO OF THEM ALL...

...IS NO MORE!

AT THAT MOMENT...

WHERE AM I? I HAVE NEVER SEEN THIS STRANGE ROOM BEFORE.

THIS BECOMES STRANGER BY THE MOMENT. THERE ARE HUNDREDS OF BEINGS INSIDE LARGE TUBES. WHO CAN BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS AND WHY?

A NOISE... WHO ARE YOU?

I? MY NAME IS THE COLLECTOR.

...AND NOW SAVAGE... SLEEP!

GAS...

HISSSSS

AS HE-MAN SLEEPS...

WELL DONE MY MINDLESS SERVANT. PLACE HE-MAN IN THE CONTAINMENT CHAMBER. QUICKLY, BEFORE HE AWAKES.

MASTER COMMAND. OPERATE... OPERATE... CHAMBER... FOLLOW ORDER.

AS HE-MAN AWAKES FROM HIS ENFORCED SLUMBER...

AH, YOU HAVE RECOVERED. LET ME TELL YOU WHY YOU ARE HERE. I AM THE COLLECTOR. I TRAVEL THE STARS IN SEARCH OF THE STRONGEST CHAMPION FROM EACH PLANET. I HAVE CHOSEN YOU FROM ETERNIA.

DO NOT WASTE YOUR EFFORTS TRYING TO ESCAPE. THE CHAMBER IS CONSTRUCTED OF A MATERIAL THAT IS STRONGER THAN ANY FOUND ON YOUR PUNY WORLD.

THERE MUST BE A WAY OUT OF THIS TRAP.

GOOD, YOU HAVE STOPPED STRUGGLING. I WILL CONTINUE. WHEN I HAVE COLLECTED ENOUGH CHAMPIONS I WILL RETURN TO MY HOME PLANET, TORGO. THERE YOU WILL TAKE PART IN THE GALACTIC GAMES. YOU WILL BATTLE THE MOST POWERFUL BEINGS IN THE UNIVERSE...

NEEDLESS TO SAY... YOU WILL NEVER RETURN TO ETERNIA! HA HA HA!

MEANWHILE, AT THE SCENE OF HE-MAN'S DISAPPEARANCE...

IT'S WORKING! THIS MACHINE HAS PICKED UP A SLIGHT TRACE OF THE ENERGY THAT SPIRITED HE-MAN AWAY. AND WHERE THERE IS A PATH OTHERS MAY FOLLOW.

BUT YOU DO NOT KNOW WHERE HE HAS GONE TO. THERE MAY BE GREAT DANGER!

DANGER? WHAT IS DANGER WHEN THE SAFETY OF MY ALLY IS AT RISK? I WILL FOLLOW.

IT'S WORKING! I HAVE MANAGED TO TRACE HE-MAN AND THIS DEVICE IS MAGNIFYING THE BEAM TO ENABLE ME TO FOLLOW HIM. I HOPE THAT I AM NOT TOO LATE.

TAKE CARE, BRAVE ONE!

THE TRAIL IS FAINT, BUT FINALLY...

I HAVE ARRIVED. NOW I MUST SEARCH FOR HE-MAN.

IT IS A TASK THAT DOES NOT PROVE TOO DIFFICULT...

BY RANDOR! WHO CAN HAVE DONE THIS TO HE-MAN? BUT WAIT... HE IS BREATHING. THERE IS STILL HOPE.

INTRUDER... INTRUDER... CAPTURE... ANALYSE ... INTRUDER.

I HAVE BEEN DISCOVERED. I MUST ACT QUICKLY. COME, FACELESS ONE, BATTLE WITH MAN-AT-ARMS!

MAN-AT-ARMS BRAVELY STANDS HIS GROUND AS THE COLLECTOR'S SERVANT RUSHES TOWARDS HIM...

WITH ONE SWIFT MOVE...

CAPTURE... ERROR... ERROR...

KA-BOOM!

MISSED ME. MY PLAN WORKED!

WITH THE CONTROL PANEL SHATTERED, THE CAPSULES BEGIN TO OPEN...

I AM FREE. FREE FROM THE SLEEP THAT SAPPED MY STRENGTH. AND NOW FOR THE COLLECTOR...

HOWEVER, EVEN AS HE-MAN SPEAKS, THE COLLECTOR IS LEAVING HIS SHIP IN A SPEEDING SHUTTLECRAFT...

MY PLAN HAS BEEN RUINED. I CAN NOT STAY TO FACE THE HUNDREDS OF WARRIORS THAT HAVE BEEN FREED. I MUST ESCAPE TO START MY COLLECTION AGAIN.

AWARE THAT THE COLLECTOR HAS FLED, HE-MAN BIDS FAREWELL TO THE NEWLY FREED WARRIORS...

YOUR TASK WILL BE A HARD ONE BUT YOU MUST RETURN EVERYONE TO THEIR OWN WORLD SO THAT THEY MAY PICK UP THEIR LIVES AGAIN.

YES AND WE WILL TELL TALES OF THE DAY WHEN THE COLLECTOR DISCOVERED SOMETHING THAT HE COULD NEVER HAVE SUSPECTED...

ALTHOUGH I MAY BE STRONGER THAN MY FRIEND IT WAS HIS COURAGE AND DARING THAT SAVED US ALL. ANYBODY CAN BE STRONG IF THEY ARE GOOD IN HEART AND DEED.

AFTER A SHORT FAREWELL, THE TWO HEROES RETURN HOME...

IT IS BEYOND BELIEF THAT YOU HAVE RETURNED. WHAT HAPPENED?

IT'S A LONG STORY, BUT ONE THAT ORKO WILL LOVE TO ADD TO HIS COLLECTION.

COLLECTION? OH, NO! I NEVER WANT TO HEAR THAT WORD AGAIN...

HAH HAH HAH!...

HAH HAH HAH!...

Master Mail

Dear Scrollos,
I think I have spotted a mistake on one of your past covers. On issue 9 you have printed the scroll upside down. Is this a mistake or was it done on purpose?

Antony Lowde, COVENTRY.

Well spotted, Tony! It was indeed a mistake and we're glad to know that we can depend on readers like yourself to keep us on our toes in the future!

Dear Scrollos,
Can you tell me what Eternia was like before Hordak and Skeletor came? I would also like to know more about where they came from. And if it is not too much trouble, I would like to know how Fisto was given a metal fist.

John Bevis, BROMSGROVE.

You have asked three very interesting questions, John. I hope that our new series on the heroes and villains of Eternia will answer all your questions.

Dear Scrollos,
Does Skeletor use a different name for each side of Two-Bad when he talks to him/them? If not, how do they know which head Skeletor is speaking to?

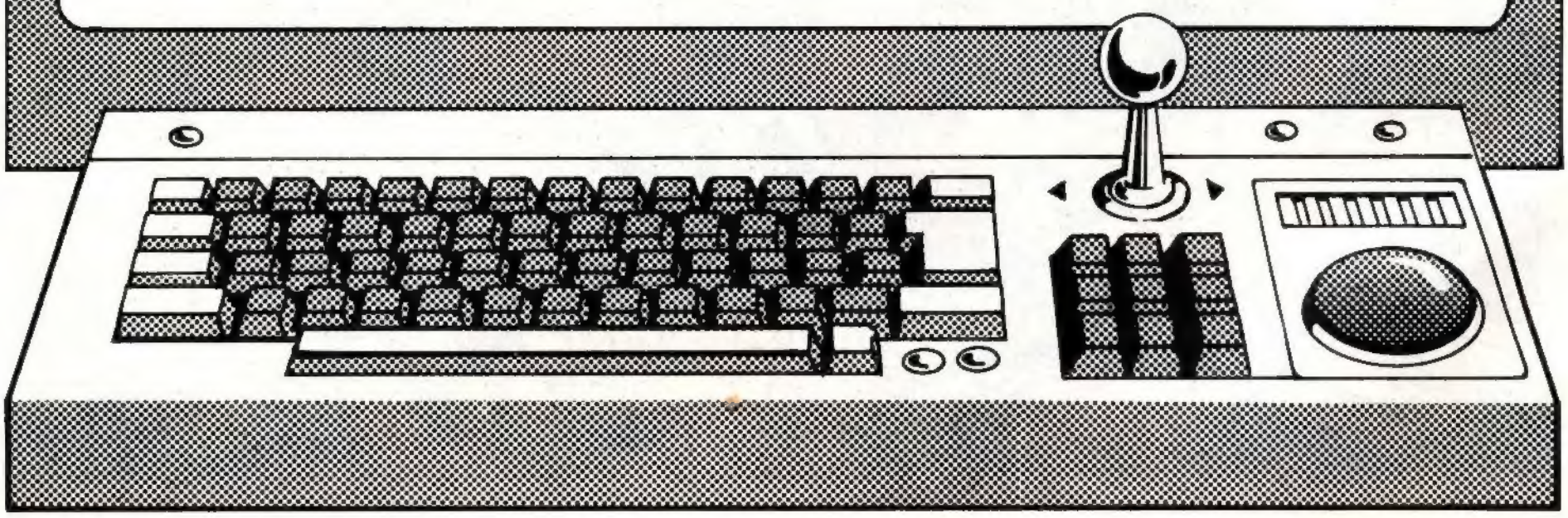
David Birchenough, DONISTHORPE.

Thank you for your letter, David. When Skeletor is talking to Two-Bad he calls one head Yellow Band and the other Blue Head. Usually this helps to avoid confusion... but not always!

Dear Scrollos,
How did **He-Man** become **He-Man?**

Jason Mitchell, GODALMING.

The way in which He-Man became He-Man is a very long story, Jason. In our first issue we told our readers the background to his powers. We have recently retold the story in the first issue of She-Ra. If you have missed either of these comics don't despair. In our soon to be published serial about Eternia we will retell the story. One way or the other you will find out, Jason!



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TAMING THE DRAGONS

THE SERIFFIN DESERT...

IT IS CONSIDERED BY MANY TO BE THE MOST INHOSPITABLE PLACE ON ALL ETERNIA...

AND IT'S THROUGH THIS BARREN AND DESOLATE WASTELAND THAT PRINCE ADAM WANDERS AIMLESSLY...

CAUGHT IN THE GRIP OF A HYPNOTIC-LIKE TRANCE, HIS MOVEMENTS ARE CLUMSY AND AWKWARD. HIS EYES BLANK AND LIFELESS...

BUT WHO OR WHAT HAS ENTRANCED THE PRINCE? FOR THE ANSWER TO THIS QUESTION WE MUST TURN BACK THE CLOCK SEVERAL HOURS...

SFLOOHP!

...AND TRAVEL TO THE CAMP OF A NOMADIC, DESERT DWELLING PEOPLE...

THANK YOU, PRINCE ADAM FOR RESPONDING SO QUICKLY TO OUR PLEA FOR HELP. I TRUST YOUR FATHER, KING RANDOR, INFORMED BOTH YOU AND MAN-AT-ARMS OF THE ATTACKS MADE ON OUR CAMP BY THE DRAGONS?

HE HAS, CHIEF TOMAR, BUT I STILL DON'T UNDERSTAND WHY THE DRAGONS ARE ATTACKING? I THOUGHT THEY WERE TIMID CREATURES?

UNTIL RECENTLY THEY WERE... THEY USED TO PREFER TO SPEND THEIR DAYS TUNNELLING BENEATH THE DESERT SANDS AND WOULD ONLY APPEAR AT NIGHT, WHEN THEY'D STUN THEIR PREY BY SPRAYING IT WITH HYPNO-MIST...

...BUT THEY'VE TAKEN TO RAIDING OUR CAMP. WE'RE POWERLESS TO STOP THEM BECAUSE THEY'RE PROTECTED BY ROYAL DECREE!

MMMM, WELL THAT'S BECAUSE THEY'RE A RARE SPECIES... ANYWAY, WE'LL HELP CATCH THE DRAGONS AND THEN TRANSPORT THEM TO ETERNOS WHERE THEY'LL BE PLACED IN THE ROYAL NATURE RESERVE.

MEANWHILE, ELSEWHERE IN THE CAMP, THE NOMAD'S TRANQUIL LIFE-STYLE IS ABRUPTLY SHATTERED...

AIIEEE!

GRRRAAAHH

THE SOUND OF A COMMOTION TRAVELS ACROSS THE CAMP AND INTO CHIEF TOMAR'S TENT...

LISTEN... SOMEONE'S SCREAMING!

AND THAT GROWLING... IT CAN ONLY MEAN THAT THE DRAGONS ARE ATTACKING AGAIN... QUICKLY, BOTH OF YOU, FOLLOW ME. WE'LL NEED EVERY ABLE-BODIED MAN TO DEFEND THE CAMP.

SEEKING AN OPPORTUNITY FOR ADAM TO SLIP AWAY AND CHANGE INTO HE-MAN, MAN-AT-ARMS APPROACHES THE NOMAD CHIEFTAIN...

I'LL BE ONLY TOO GLAD TO HELP... BUT PERHAPS THE PRINCE SHOULD REMAIN HERE, WHERE HE'LL BE SAFE FROM HARM...

BY THE ETERNIAN ELDERS! I'D HEARD RUMOURS THAT KING RANDOR HAD A COWARD FOR A SON... BUT UNTIL NOW I'D NOT BELIEVED THEM!

AND SO CHIEF TOMAR FORCES A RELUCTANT PRINCE ADAM TO DEFEND THE CAMP...

WITH ANY LUCK, FIGHTING ALONGSIDE MY NOMAD WARRIORS WILL CURE YOU OF YOUR FOPPISH WAYS!

I HATE PRETENDING TO BE WEAK AND COWARDLY... BUT IT'S A NECESSARY DECEPTION IF MY IDENTITY AS HE-MAN IS TO REMAIN A SECRET.

GRRAAAHH!!!

THE NOMADS, AIDED BY PRINCE ADAM AND MAN-AT-ARMS, DO THEIR BEST TO CATCH THE DRAGONS...

YET DESPITE THEIR SKILL... DESPITE THEIR WELL PLANNED TACTICS...

GRRAAH!!!

RRIIIP

...THEIR EFFORTS PROVE FRUITLESS!

RAAHH

UGH!

THE DRAGON'S ATTACK TOOK ME BY SURPRISE - BUT I'LL ...

HISSS

ADAM'S THROUGHTS ARE UNFINISHED AS HE'S SUDDENLY ENVELOPED BY A CLOUD OF HYPNO-MIST...

HIS MIND NOW CONFUSED BY THE EFFECTS OF THE MIST, THE ETERNIAN PRINCE WANDERS UNNOTICED INTO THE SEEMINGLY ENDLESS DESERT. EVENTUALLY, SUCCUMBING TO EXHAUSTION, HE COLLAPSES...

AND AS THE CONSTANTLY SHIFTING SANDS BLOW ACROSS ADAM'S UNCONSCIOUS FORM, WE TURN OUR ATTENTION TO SNAKE MOUNTAIN...

FROM WHAT MY LACKEYS TELL ME, CHIEF TOMAR'S NOMADIC TRIBE HAS BEEN ATTACKED BY A GROUP OF UNUSUALLY SAVAGE DESERT DRAGONS...

SUCH CREATURES WILL MAKE USEFUL PETS... AND ONCE I'VE CAUGHT THEM, THESE MYSTICAL CHAINS WILL MAKE THEM TOTALLY LOYAL!

A SHORT WHILE LATER SKELETOR GUIDES HIS SPYDOR VEHICLE OUT OF SNAKE MOUNTAIN, AND STEERS IT TOWARDS THE SERIFFIN DESERT...

MEANWHILE, BACK AT THE NOMAD CAMP, THE **DRAGONS** HAVE FINALLY BEEN CAGED AND **ADAM'S** ABSENCE NOTED...

I'VE SEARCHED THE ENTIRE CAMP AND I CAN'T FIND ADAM ANYWHERE!

THEN IT IS AS WE FEARED! ONE OF THE DRAGONS MUST HAVE SPRAYED PRINCE ADAM WITH HYPNO-MIST AND HE'S WANDERED INTO THE DESERT. WE'D BEST ORGANIZE A SEARCH PARTY...

WE NOW REJOIN OUR STORY AS THE SEARCH PARTY FIND PRINCE ADAM...

USING HIS KNOWLENGE OF HERBAL MEDICINES, CHIEF TOMAR TRIES TO REVIVE THE PRINCE...

HERE, DRINK THIS... IT'LL CURE YOU OF THE HYPNO-MIST EFFECTS.

ONCE **ADAM** IS FIT TO TRAVEL THE GROUP RETURN TO THE CAMP, ONLY TO FIND THAT IN THEIR ABSENCE IT HAS BEEN ATTACKED!

HE CAME AS IF FROM NOWHERE, CHIEF TOMAR! WITHOUT YOU AND THE OTHER WARRIORS WE WERE POWERLESS TO STOP HIM...

WHO? WHO DID THIS?!

A SKELETON MY LORD... A LIVING SKELETON RIDING A GIANT MECHANICAL SPIDER!

THAT SOUNDS LIKE SKELETOR

AND FROM THE LOOK OF THIS CAGE I'D SAY HE CAME HERE TO STEAL THE DRAGONS...

YES, BUT HE CAN'T HAVE TRAVELLED FAR IN THIS TERRAIN. I'LL TAKE THE **ATTAK TRAK** AND FOLLOW HIS TRAIL...

ONCE OUT OF SIGHT ADAM TRANSFORMS INTO HE-MAN AND SHORTLY THEREAFTER ...

AH! THERE HE IS! AS I THOUGHT HE'S BEEN MOVING SLOWLY...

"... AND A TWIN LASER BLAST..."

ZAAAP!

ZIIIIP

"... WILL BRING HIM TO A DEAD STOP!"

AAARGH!

BOOM!

KRA-

WHAT ON...?

HE-MAN! I DON'T KNOW HOW YOU LEARNED THAT I'D STOLEN THE DRAGONS...

THE FOUR DRAGONS RACE MENACINGLY TOWARDS HE-MAN...

... BUT THIS IS ONE PLAN YOU WON'T FOIL!

BUT WITH A SIMPLE FLICK OF HIS WRIST THE ETERNIAN CHAMPION NETS THREE OF THE DRAGONS ...

... AND THEN AVOIDS THE FOURTH WITH A MIGHTY LEAP!

SPLOOM!

HE-MAN LANDS CLOSE TO SKELETOR...

BY THE ETERNAL FIRES OF SUMASON... IT'S TIME THAT THIS FARCE ENDED!

PTTAAG!

YOU KNOW... THAT'S THE MOST SENSIBLE THING YOU'VE SAID ALL DAY!

HE-MAN RETURNS FIRE, AND AS HIS POWER BLAST STRIKES CLOSE TO SKELETOR'S FEET A GREAT HOLE SUDDENLY OPENS IN THE GROUND...

Nooo!

SHHAANG

APPROACHING THE HOLE TO INVESTIGATE, HE-MAN IS TAKEN UNAWARES BY THE LARGEST OF THE DRAGONS...

UGH!

GRAG

THE DRAGON LEAPS DOWN THE HOLE...

HE-MAN QUICKLY FOLLOWS, ONLY TO FIND BOTH SKELETOR AND THE DRAGON...

GONE!

LATER BACK AT THE CAMP...

...AND HE-MAN FOUND HIMSELF IN ONE OF THE MANY UNDERGROUND TUNNELS DUG BY THE DESERT DRAGONS... SKELETOR MUST'VE BEEN LED TO SAFETY BY HIS NEW PET.

BUT WHY WOULD SUCH A CREATURE WILLINGLY HELP SKELETOR?

WHO CAN SAY, CHIEF TOMAR. BUT IF SKELETOR LURES IT INTO HIS EVIL WAYS... AT LEAST WE KNOW THAT HE-MAN INSPIRES MANY MORE TO DO GOOD!

HEINZ

HAUNTED HOUSE

AS IT'S HALLOWEEN, IT'S DELICIOUS SPOOKY STEW FOR SUPPER KIDS.

YUK! OUR MOST UNFAVOURITE.. HOW CAN I STOP HER COOKING IT?

GOT IT, WE'LL USE OUR SPOOKY 'GLOW IN THE DARK' HAUNTED HOUSE STICKERS *

SUDDEN IDEA

AARRGH!

NOW...

101 RECIPES FOR THE WORKING WICKED STEP-MUM

SPOOKY STEW

INGREDIENTS. EYE OF BAT LEG OF FROG SEASONING 1 TEASPOON WARTS

METHODS:

I'LL JUST GET SOME FRESH WARTS..

SPOOKY GHOST STICKER

HEE, HEE SNIGGER... THESE STICKERS ARE GREAT.

HORRID BOY

HELP!

YURK!

KERPLUT!

FROG STICKER

NEVER MIND THE WARTS... I'LL USE A FAT FROG INSTEAD

WHERE IS SYD?

HOW'S THE STEW GOING MUM?

SNIGGERING SYD

EEEK!

FROWN

IT'S NOT SOMEONE KEEPS SCARING ME AND MY INGREDIENTS

HEE HEE

AND... I'VE RUN OUT OF MICE.

VERY HIGH SIDES, MOST IMPRACTICAL IN THE KITCHEN...

HO HO I CAN SEE ONE.

AAARRRRGHH!

AND VERY DIFFICULT TO RUN IN

SCARY MOUSE STICKER

LOOKS LIKE I'LL HAVE TO COOK OUR FAVOURITE..

..YUMMY HAUNTED HOUSE THE MORE WE EAT THE MORE STICKERS WE GET!

FLYING BATS

SALT AND PEPPER

FREE SPOOKY THEATRE

VERY SCARY GHOST STICKER

FREE HAUNTED HOUSE THEATRE AND GLOW IN THE DARK STICKERS

HEINZ HAUNTED HOUSE

* Free spooky 'Glow in the dark' stickers and theatre. Look out for the special tins

SCARE YOUR FRIENDS SILLY WITH HEINZ HAUNTED HOUSE.

MASTERS OF THE UNIVERSE

DEMON ATTACK!

PRINCE TER'RYL FROM THE KINGDOM OF THE OUTER LANDS HAS COME ON A GOODWILL VISIT TO ETERNOS CITY...

ORKO, IS IT TRUE YOU WERE ONCE THE GREATEST MAGICIAN OF ALL, ON YOUR WORLD OF TROLLAH?

ONCE? ONCE?!! I AM STILL THE GREATEST! EVEN THE SORCERESS STANDS IN AWE OF MY GREAT MAGIC!

HA! YOU'RE BOASTING. YOU'RE NOT THAT POWERFUL.

(SPLUTTER!) WHAT A CHEEK! I'LL PROVE IT!

IN ORKO'S ROOM...

I'LL MAGIC A BLOPPLEBERRY FLOWER FROM THE FARTHEST PLANET IN THE UNIVERSE.

GASP! I-IT'S WORKING!

ORKO DOES NOT HAVE THE SAME CONTROL OVER HIS MAGIC ON ETERNIA AS HE DID ON TROLLAH, AND HIS SPELLS TEND TO GO WRONG. LIKE NOW...!

YAAAH! W-WHAT'S HAPPENING?

I'VE DONE IT AGAAAAIIIIIN!

AS THE TERRIFIED ORKO AND TER'RYL DISAPPEAR, A SECOND "HOLE IN SPACE" APPEARS...

AT LASSSST! I HAVE WAITED EONS FOR THISS OPPORTUNITY! SSSOMEHOW THE PORTALSS BETWEEN DIMENSSIONSSS HAVE OPENED. NOW ISS THE TIME FOR KRRYLAK THE MIGHTY TO CONQUER ETERNIA AND ALL THISS UNIVERSSSE!

HE-MAN WAS VISITING THE SORCERESS IN CASTLE GRAYSKULL WHEN...

OH, NO! (GASP!) THIS IS TERRIBLE! TERRIBLE! I SENSE GREAT DANGER TO US ALL!

SORCERESS! WHAT'S WRONG?

BEFORE THE SORCERESS CAN REPLY...

SSSSORCERESSS! YOUR MAGIC ISS SSSTRONG INDEED TO SSSENSSE MY PRESSSCENCE / BUT IT WILL AVAIL YOU NAUGHT!

KRRYLAK! THE MOST EVIL DEMON IN THE THOUSAND DIMENSIONS! IT WAS YOU WHO CREATED THIS RIFT IN SPACE!

KRRYLAK GESTURES HIS RING TOWARDS THE SORCERESS AND...

AAAAAAAHH!

NOT I SSSORCERESSS! BUT I HAVE MADE USSSE OF IT TO INVADE YOUR DIMENSSSION. YOUR MAGIC ISS SSTRONGER THAN MY OWN BUT I HAVE THE ELEMENT OF SSSURPRISSSE!

SORCERESS!

THE SORCERESS VANISHES FROM THE ROOM! THEN KRRYLAK SPEAKS...

I HAVE TRAPPED THE SSSORCERESSS IN MY ORB OF DARKNESSSS! THERE ISSS NO ESSSCAPE! NOW I SSSHALL RULE ETERNIA!

EVIL ONE! ETERNIA DOES NOT RELY ON THE SORCERESS ALONE FOR ITS PROTECTION!

FOOL! MY ORB SSSOAKSSS UP ALL THE LIGHT OF GOODNESSS / SSSOON ETERNIA SSSHALL BE PLUNGED INTO DARKNESSS AND YOU WILL BE POWERLESSS TO SSSTOP ME!

ALREADY MY DEMON HORDE LAYSS SSSIEGE TO THE ROYAL PALACE IN ETERNOSSS CITY...

WHERE DID THEY COME FROM? THERE ARE THOUSANDS OF THEM!

THEY DON'T LOOK LIKE SKELETOR'S DEMONS! IF ONLY HE-MAN WAS HERE!

THUNK!

ZIIPPP!

ZIPP!

ZIPP!

WE'LL FIND A WAY TO DEFEAT YOU, KRRYLAK!

HA! HA! HOW, FOOL? MY ORB OF DARKNESS CONSUMES THE POWER OF YOUR SWORD AND MAKES ME STRONGER!

YOU ARE HELPLESS AGAINST ME! I AM ALL-POWERFUL! I WILL DESTROY YOU ALL! HA! HA! HA!

ZZZZZZ...

URRGGH!

ZZZIIIIAAAA!

IN SNAKE MOUNTAIN SKELETOR WAS WELL AWARE OF WHAT HAD OCCURRED...

WELL DONE, KRRYLAK! AT LAST HE-MAN FACES DEFEAT!

KEEP YOUR TRAP-JAW SHUT, YOU IDIOT! IF KRRYLAK DEFEATS THE MASTERS OF THE UNIVERSE WE WILL ALL FALL AGAINST HIS POWER!

AS MUCH AS I DETEST THE IDEA WE MUST AID HE-MAN IN THIS BATTLE!

SKELETOR TELEPORTS TO NEAR THE ROYAL PALACE...

SKELETOR! YOU WOULD PLAN A SNEAK ATTACK NOW!

TEELA, YOU HURT ME! I AM HERE TO SUPPORT YOU. IF I AM TO BE MASTER OF THIS UNIVERSE KRRYLAK THE MIGHTY MUST BE DEFEATED!

WHILE SKELETOR EXPLAINS WHAT HAS TAKEN PLACE, ORKO AND TER-RYL FIND THEMSELVES ON KRRYLAK'S NETHERWORLD...

ORKO! DO SOMETHING! THAT CREATURE LOOKS HUNGRY!

LIZARD, LIZARD, DON'T BE SLOW, WE DON'T LIKE YOU SO OFF YOU GO!

OOOH! BUT MY MAGIC NEVER WORKS!

ORKO! YOU DID IT!

I DID? I MEAN, I DID! MY MAGIC MUST BE MORE POWERFUL IN THIS DIMENSION THAN ON ETERNIA! I'M A SUCCESS! WE'RE SAFE NOW!

PLOF!

YOW! MAN-EATING PLANTS!

ULP! ME AND MY BIG MOUTH!

BACK AT CASTLE GRAYSKULL KRRYLAK MOVES IN FOR THE FINAL ATTACK...!

YOU SSSHALL BE MY FIRSSST CONQUESST, HE-MAN! WHEN YOU HAVE FALLEN SO SSSHALL ALL ETERNIA!

DON'T COUNT ON IT, KRRYLAK!

WHA...! YOU WERE FEIGNING YOUR WEAKNESSS!

I AM WEAKER, IT'S TRUE...

...BUT NOT TOO WEAK FOR THIS! HAPPY LANDING!

NOOOOO!

KRRRAA-AASSSH!

BUT KRRYLAK IS PROTECTED FROM HARM BY THE ORB OF DARKNESS. AND NOW HE IS ANGRY...!

YOU WILL PAY FOR ASSSAULTING ME, HE-MAN! WATCH NOW ASSS I DESSSTROY CASSTLE GRAYSSSKULL!

CASTLE GRAYSKULL IS ROCKED BY KRRYLAK'S DEVASTATING ATTACK!

KAAA-BLLAAAAM!

HE-MAN'S SWORD PROTECTS HIM...

KRRYLAK SURE GOT OUT THE WRONG SIDE OF BED THIS MORNING!

SWAAASSH!

THE BATTLE AT THE ROYAL PALACE WAS FARING NO BETTER...

THERE ARE TOO MANY OF THEM! EVEN IF ETERNIA FALLS I MUST ESCAPE!

SKELETOR, YOU GROUND DIGGER! COME BACK AND HELP US FIGHT!

AND ON KRRYLAK'S NETHERWORLD...

FLOWERS-SHRINK! HEY! I DID IT AGAIN! WE'RE FREE!

BUT ORKO SPOKE TOO SOON! FROM OUT OF THE NETHERWORLD'S DARK SKIES SWOOPS...

RRROOOOAAAAR

YEEEOOW! A D-DRAGON! THIS ISN'T OUR DAY!

AT CASTLE GRAYSKULL HE-MAN RECEIVES A MESSAGE FROM THE SORCERESS...

HE-MAN! I CANNOT SPEAK FOR LONG! YOU MUST USE THE LODE-STONE TO DEFEAT KRRYLAK! USE THE LODESTONE...

AS THE SORCERESS' IMAGE FADES HE-MAN HURRIES TO THE SECRET COMPARTMENT UNDER HER THRONE...

THE MAGICAL LODESTONE OF THE ANCIENTS CAN TURN ANY METAL IT TOUCHES INTO A POWERFUL MAGNET FOR A SHORT WHILE. AND KRRYLAK'S RING IS MADE OF METAL!

AFTER RUBBING THE LODESTONE ACROSS HIS SWORD HE-MAN GOES OUT TO FACE KRRYLAK...

YOU SSSHOULD HAVE ESSCAPED WHILE YOU HAD THE CHANCE, HE-MAN! NOW YOU SSSHALL FEEL MY FULL MIGHT!

I THINK NOT, KRRYLAK. IN FACT, I'M RATHER ATTRACTED TO YOUR RING...

TO KRRYLAK'S HORROR THE ORB OF DARKNESS FLIES OFF HIS FINGER ...

OR, SHOULD I SAY, MY SWORD IS!

MY RING!

NOW TO RELEASE THE SORCERESS!

NOOO!

KRUUMP!

WITH THE ORB OF DARKNESS DESTROYED THE SORCERESS IS SET FREE...!

IT'S TIME FOR YOU AND YOUR DEMON HORDE TO RETURN TO YOUR NETHERWORLD OF DARKNESS, KRRYLAK!

YAAAAAAGGGGHH!

AND...

THE DEMONS ARE DISAPPEAR-ING!

AND NOT A MOMENT TOO SOON!

SENSING THE DANGER ORKO AND TER'RYL FACE, THE SORCERESS SWIFTLY RESCUES THEM...!

WHOOOF! HEY! WE'RE BACK!

NO THANKS TO YOU, ORKO. YOUR SHOW-ING OFF ALMOST CAUSED THE DOWNFALL OF ETERNIA.

I'M SORRY! HONEST! I PROMISE NEVER TO BOAST AGAIN... WELL, AT LEAST FOR THE REST OF THE DAY!

THIS WILL HELP YOU KEEP TO YOUR WORD!

MMMUUMPH!

HA! HA! HA!

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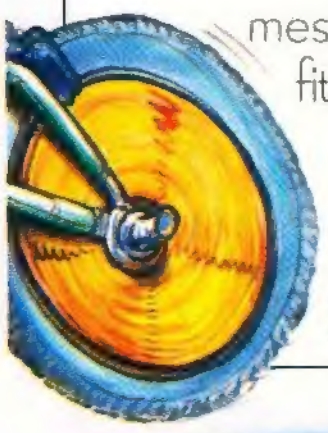

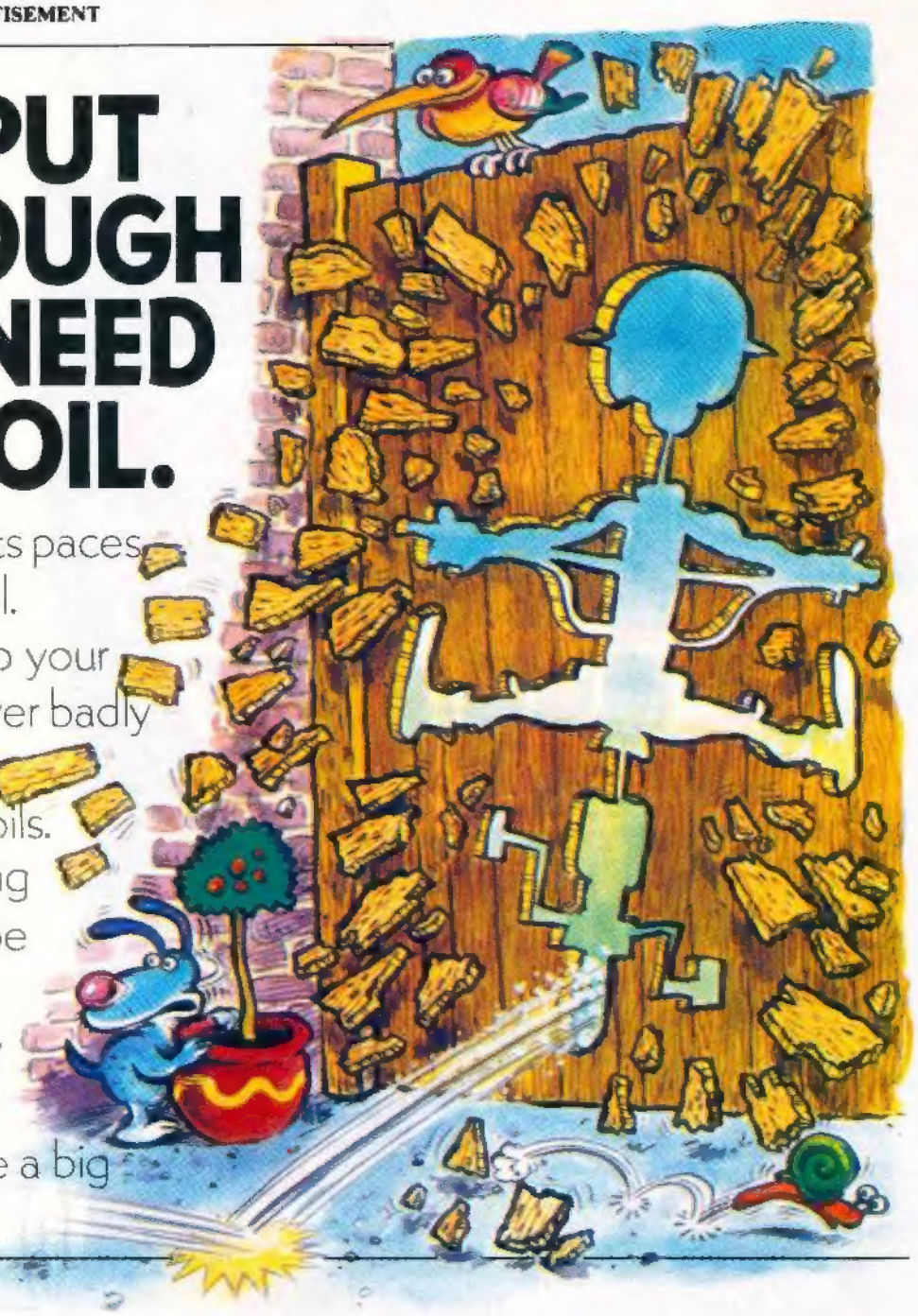

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1) Which character has a neck that can be extended?
2) Where does He-Man wear his sword?
3) On which hand is Fisto's metal fist?
4) Which character is the 'Master of Escape'?
5) Name the horse used by the Evil Warriors.
6) Name the cats ridden by He-Man and Skeletor.
7) Which character comes from Trollah?
8) Who has two heads?
9) Who has 'pop-out eyes'?
10) Who is the Master of Suction Power?

ANSWERS

1) Mekaneck. 2) On his back. 3) Right hand. 4) Webstor. 5) Night Stalker. 6) Battle Cat and Panthor. 7) Orko the Magician. 8) Two Bad. 9) Mantenna. 10) Leech.

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